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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including formal drawing figures is attached following page 10 of this paper.